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號九月三英華香

PRICE \$25 PER MONTH

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

February 17, DAPIA, Spanish steamer, 565.

Ajubita, Manila 16th February, General.

CHINESE.

February 17, DIAMOND, British steamer, 1,030.

J. Gordon, Singapore 10th February, General.

CHINESE.

February 18, PROMETHEUS, British str., 1,533.

J. R. Webster, Liverpool 29th December,

and Singapore 11th February, General.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

February 18, FERJE, Danish steamer, 397, C.

A. Lund, Haiphong 16th February, General.

ARNHOLD, KARBER & CO.

February 18, PACCIOLE, German steamer, 875.

Ph. Nissse, Singapore 7th February, General.

MELCHERS & CO.

February 18, STRATELIVEN, British str., 1,585.

C. W. Pearson, Shanghai 14th February,

General.

ADAMSON, BELL & CO.

February 18, JAPAN, British steamer, 1,866, T.

S. Gardner, Calcutta 30th January, Penang

7th February, and Singapore 10th, Opium

and General.

DAVID SASSOON & SONS & CO.

February 18, TANADIE, British steamer, 1,408.

Shanow, Sydney 25th January, Townsville

30th, Cocktown 31st, Thursday Island 3rd

February, and Port Darwin 8th, General.

RUSSELL & CO.

CLEARANCES.

AT THE HARBOR MASTER'S OFFICE:

18TH FEBRUARY.

Nierstein, German str., for Chinkiang.

Fidelio, German str., for Amoy.

Highfield, British str., for Yokohama.

Hikishi Maru, Jap. str., for Nagasaki.

Hideochi Maru, Jap. str., for Kutubinotan.

DEPARTURES.

February 18, CHINA, German str., for Saigon.

February 18, FIDELIO, German str., for Amoy.

February 18, NIERSTEIN, German steamer, for Chinkiang.

February 18, FUSHI MARU, Jap. str., for Nagasaki.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

For Sir H. Meissner, str., from Shanghai.—Meissner.

Prichard, and J. T. Tracy.

For Jap. str., from Calcutta, &c.—Mrs. T.

S. Gardner, Messrs. G. S. Wood, A. H. Willis,

E. Denny, and M. Michael, 3 Europeans, and

575 Chinese.

Per Diamond, str., from Singapore.—Messrs.

Jones and Norwell, and 630 Chinese.

Per Prometheus, str., from Liverpool, &c.—

Mrs. Clarke, Messrs. Bowman, Zott, and Yallorn,

and 350 Chinese, from Singapore.

DEPARTED.

Per Prometheus, str., from Shanghai.—For Singapore.—Mr. H. G. Goss, Mr. P. Colombo,

Mr. Bradfield, For Southampton.—Mrs. Revere,

family and servant, and Mr. J. H. Donaldson,

For Bremen.—Rev. and Mrs. Kasper, family

and 2 servants, Mr. H. Longden and family,

Mr. F. Hellwig, Master, H. Foeke, and Miss Eng.

Focke, from Japan.—For Singapore.—Mr. and

Mrs. Siegert, and Mr. Aug. Nebe, For Gen-

ova.

Rev. E. R. Eichler and family. For Bra-

men.—Messrs. Braze Becker, Teschner, and Paul

Kuhorst, For Southampton.—Mr. W. Clorey.

REPORTS.

The British steamer *Stratheden*, from Shang-

hai 14th February, reports, had fine weather

throughout.

The German steamer *Picciola*, from Singapore

7th February, reports had strong N.E. and N.

winds and high seas from port to port.

The British steamer *Prometheus*, from Liver-

pool 24th December, and Singapore 11th Februa-

ry, reports had strong N.E. winds, high seas,

and fine weather.

The British steamer *Tunadie*, from Sydney

25th January, Townsville 30th, Cocktown 31st,

Thursday Island 3rd February, and Port Dar-

win 4th February, leaving Sydney northerly

winds, fresh to strong, with high seas were

experienced as far as 20° S. down to Thursday

Island S.E. to the fresh winds and high

weather with heavy rains through Torres Straits,

and whilst at Thursday Island winds from

S.W. to W.N.W. moderate with equally showers

to Port Darwin; N.W. winds and fine weather

across the Banda Sea, and N. to N.E. through

the Molucca Passage and Celebes, light variable

winds, heavy showers as Basilia was ap-

proached. N.E. winds fresh and showery along

the Philippines, and N.W. winds from N. to

N.E. strong winds with high sea and swell;

settling down to steady fresh to moderate N.E.

monsoon to port.

INTIMATIONS.

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THREE IMPORTANT FACTS ABOUT THE STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

1. HALF A MILLION STERLING per annum is being paid in Death Claims year by year.

2. THE FUNDS IN HAND amount to upwards of Six Million and Three-quarters Sterling and have increased 50 per cent. in the last 15 years.

3. THE LIVES who die are annually replaced by more than double the number of fresh carefully selected lives.

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED
Agents, Hongkong.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED
Master Mason's Aprons, English and Scotch
Porcelain, the New Shanghai Cosmetic
Table for 1889.

Powerful Race and Field Glasses.
Whitaker's Almanacs, 1889.

Heads' Annual Cyclopaedia, 1889.

Celestial and Terrestrial Globes.

The Cosmographic Atlas* containing over

60 full size Maps for the best Atlas

published for the money, £75.

Collection of Japanese Music, printed in

Japan and bound in native style, a curiosity

40s.

Mystery of a Haunted Cabin,
H. Bell-Irving.—Chairman.

W. H. FORBES, Esq., Deputy Chairman.

C. D. BODDINGTON, Esq., S. C. McNAUL, Esq.

H. E. DALY, Esq., E. A. S. S. LANE, Esq.

J. E. HOLLOWAY, Esq., N. A. SIEGEL, Esq.

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HONGKONG & E. NOBLE, Esq.

MANAGER.

SHANGHAI.—EWEN CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS.—LONDON & COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG.—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of

2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits.—

For 3 months 3 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months 4 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months 5 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BANK DISCOUNTS.

For 3 months 3 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months 4 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months 5 per cent. per annum.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG
SAVINGS BANK.

1.—The business of the above will be

conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai

Banking Corporation, on their premises in

Hongkong, Business hours on weekdays, 10

to 12; Saturdays, 10 to 1.

2.—Sums less than £1, or more than £250 at

one time will not be received. No depositor

may deposit more than £2,000 in any one year.

3.—Deposits in the Savings Bank, having

£100 or more at the time of their opening

transfer to the Hongkong and Shanghai

Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for

12 months at 5 per cent. per annum.

4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per

annum will be allowed to Depositors on their

actual balance.

5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with

and every payment of Withdrawals.

Depositors must not sign their Pass-Books,

but should send them to be written up at

least twice a year, about the beginning of

January and beginning of July.

6.—

1889. NOW READY. 1889
THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY
For 1889.
With which is incorporated
THE CHINA DIRECTORY.
(TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL ISSUE),
COMPLETE WITH APPENDIX, PLANS, &c.,
Royal Svo. p.p. 1216.—\$3.00.
SMALLER EDITION, Royal Svo. p.p. \$20.—\$3.00.

THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY
has been thoroughly revised and brought up
to date, and again much increased in bulk.

It contains DESCRIPTIVE AND STATISTICAL
ACCOUNTS of, and DIRECTORY FOR
HONGKONG—Nagasaki.

Do. Ladies' Directory—Kobe (Hyogo).

Do. Post Directory—Osaka.

Do. Military Forces—Yokohama.

MACAO—Macao.

CHINA—Peking.

Hainan—Ningpo.

Hakodate—Yokohama.

Hokkaido—Vladivostock.

THE PHILIPPINES—Manila.

Canton—Cebu.

Swatow—Iloilo.

Amoy—Borneo.

Taipeh—Sarawak.

Tamshoo—Lanai.

Kelung—British North Borneo.

COUNTRY CHINA—Siaon.

Ningpo—Cambodia.

Shanghai—Annam.

Chinkiang—Hai.

Wuhs—Tourane, &c.

Chinkiang—Tongye.

Chungking—Hainan.

Chufou—Hainan, &c.

Takao—Siang.

Tientsin—Bangkok.

Peking—Malacca.

Wei Hua Wei—Penang.

Port Arthur—Newchawang.

Orchid—Malacca.

Sian—French.

United States—German.

Japan—Chinese Northern.

Russian—British.

Officers of the Coasting Steamer
F. & S. N. Co. Simon & Co.

Indo-China S. N. Co. H. C. & M. S. B. Co.

Douglas S. N. Co. Scottish Oriental S. S. Co.

China Mar. S. N. Co. Miscellaneous Coast Steamer.

THE LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains
the names of over FORTY-THREE THOUSAND AND SIX HUNDRED
FOREIGNERS

arranged under one Alphabet in the strictest
order, the initials as well as the surnames
being alphabetical.

THE MARINE PLANS have been mostly
re-arranged in a superior degree and brought up
to date. They now consist of:

PLACES OF MERCANTILE HOUSES IN CHINA,
CODE OF SIGNALS IN USE AT VICTORIA PEAK,
MAP OF THE FAR EAST.

MAP OF THE ISLAND OF HONGKONG.

MAP OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

MAP OF MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, VICTORIA.

MAP OF FOREIGN CONCESSIONS, SHANGHAI.

MAP OF YUNNAN.

MAP OF MANNA.

MAP OF SAIGON.

PLAN OF TOWN AND ENVIRONS OF SINGAPORE.

PLAN OF GEORGE TOWN, PENANG.

Among the other contents of the book are—
An Anglo-Chinese Calendar, Mean of Barometer,
and Thermometer, Rainfall, &c.

A full Chronology of remarkable events since
the advent of foreigners to China and Japan.

A Description of Chinese Customs, Fests, &c.,
with a dozen maps which they will.

Comparative Tables of Money, Weights, &c.,
Scale of Hongkong Steam Duties.

The Hongkong Postal Guide for 1888.

Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by
the Chamber of Commerce of Hongkong.

Shanghai, Amoy and Newchawang.

Hongkong Chair, Jinchucks, and Boat Hire.

THE APPENDIX consists of:

STATISTICS OF CHINA.

of closely printed matter, to which reference is
constantly made by residents and those
having commercial or political relations with the
countries embraced within the scope of the
CHRONICLE and DIRECTORY.

The contents are too numerous to particularize
in an advertisement, but include—

TREATIES WITH CHINA—Great Britain, 1842

U.S.A., 1843

China with Additional Article.

Opium Convention, 1856.

Burmah & Tibet Convention, 1860.

and all others not abrogated.

France, Tientsin, 1858; Convention, 1860.

Tientsin, 1855; Treaty of Commerce.

Conventions, 1855 and 1857.

United States, Tientsin, 1858; Additional, 1869.

Peking, 1860.

China, 1861 and Peking, 1880.

Portugal, 1880.

Burma, Japan, Spain, Brazil, and Peru.

TREATIES WITH JAPAN—Great Britain

United States, Netherlands

United States, Corea

TREATIES WITH COREA

TREATIES WITH SIAM

TREATIES WITH ANAM

TREATIES WITH CAMBODIA

Chinese Treaties

Japanese Treaties

Legal.

Orders in Council for Government of H. B. M.

Subjects in China and Japan, 1865, 1877,

1878, 1881, 1884, 1886, 1888, 1890.

Rules of E. B. M. Supreme and other Courts
in China, Japan, &c., with New Table of Fees

New Tables of Consular Fees

Civil Procedure, Hongkong.

Table of Hongkong Court Fees

Admiralty, 1880.

Foreign Jurisdiction Act

Regulations for the Consular Courts of United

States in China

Rules of Court of Appeals at Shanghai

Chinese Passenger Act

TRADE REGULATIONS

China

Customs Duties, China

Shanghai Bonded Warehouses

Customs and Harbour Regulations for the dif-
ferent ports of China, Philippines, Siam, &c.

Postage Regulations

Charter of the Colony

Rules of Legislative Council

Port Regulations, &c., &c.

Orders may be sent to *The Daily Press* Office, when
it is published, or to the following Agents—

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BRITISH HINDUSTAN—Mossra H. & C. Chisholm.

BRITISH HINDUSTAN—Mr. E. H. & C. Chisholm.

PROFESSOR GRENZEN.

LONDON, 21st January.
A strong feeling is being aroused in England and on the Continent against Prince Bismarck in consequence of his description of his vindictive treatment of Professor Grotius. The Professor is now being examined as an alleged lunatic.

THE INCREASE IN THE FRENCH ARMY.

LONDON, 22nd January.
The French Chamber of Deputies has passed the Army Increase Bill. M. de Freycinet, Minister for War, stated that under the bill 3,000,000 men would be secured for active service in the Army.

THE COLONIAL AND IMPERIAL INSTITUTE.

LONDON, 23rd January.
It is reported that, subject to ratification by the Fellows of the Royal Colonial Institute, the Colonial and Imperial Institutes will be amalgamated. The former body partly retains its individuality. The name of the new body will be the Imperial and Royal Colonial Institute.

FEDERATION OF THE AMERICAN STATES AND GREECE.

LONDON, 23rd January.
The Government of Montenegro is endeavouring to promote the Federation of Romania, Serbia, Bulgaria, Montenegro, and Greece.

DEATH OF A CELEBRATED ARTIST.

LONDON, 24th January.
The death is announced of Mr. Pellegrini, the well-known artist, celebrated for the caricatures published in *Vanity Fair* with the signature of "Ape."

MR. CHAMBERLAIN AT BRIMINGHAM.

LONDON, 24th January.
Mr. Chamberlain, in addressing a public meeting at Birmingham, expressed his opinion that America ought to make the next overtures in regard to the fisheries question. He referred to the subordinate position which the Irish question at present occupied in political affairs. He also called for the establishment of district councils and free schools, and the loan of State credit to create small shareholders in England.

FRENCH AGGRESSION IN THE COMORO ISLANDS.

LONDON, 24th January.
The inhabitants of the Comoro Islands, in the Mozambique channel, are seeking British protection in order to escape from French aggression.

THE AMERICAN TARIFF BILL.

LONDON, 24th January.
There is a strong desire at the Cape of Good Hope that Sir Horace Robinson, whose term of office shortly expires, should retain the Government of that colony.

THE AMERICAN TARIFF BILL.

LONDON, 24th January.
The American Tariff Bill, which has been passed by the United States Senate, increases the duties paid, but removes half the sugar duties. It also grants heavy bounties on the local production of sugar. It is considered that the new law will be rejected by the House of Representatives.

SUICIDE AND EXPLOSION OF ELMA IN MURKIN.

LONDON, 24th January.
The death is announced of Ilma de Murka, the famous young Hungarian soprano. It appears that she wrote letters to her daughter, and committed suicide directly afterwards.

LONDON, 24th January.

The remains of the late Madame Ilma De Murka, who died in abject poverty at Munich and also of her daughter, who soon after her birth of her mother's death had been estranged.

FRENCH INTERESTS IN THE EASTERN PACIFIC.

LONDON, 24th January.
M. Goblet, the French Minister for Foreign Affairs, has discussed with Lord Lytton, British Ambassador at Paris, the question of British and French interests in the Eastern Pacific and has instructed M. Waddington, the French Ambassador in London, to approach the British Admiralty in reference to the reported British annexation of the Island of Tasmania, which is claimed by France as a dependent of Tasmania.

THE PARNELL "TIMES" COMMISSION.

LONDON, 24th January.
At today's sitting of the Parliament-Sixth Commission, a clerk in the employ of the National League, named Farnslether, swore that he had lied to Mallett, one of the emissaries of the League, several cheques paid by Egan. He saw Poole, a member of the Fenian organisation, who was afterwards executed, receive money supplied by the League. He also identified Campbell's writing.

LONDON, 24th January.

At yesterday's sittings of the *Parliament-Sixth Commission*, a Mookighter named Tobin swore that the Kerrigan Mookitters organised a body who were paid and armed by the League.

THE SAMOA DISPUTE.

LONDON, 24th January.
The American gunboat *Vandalia* has been despatched from San Francisco to Samoa.

Mr. Bayard, the American Secretary of State, declares that if the neutrality of Samoa be in force with Germany breaks the treaty with Great Britain, and not with America.

It is reported that England, Germany, and America have agreed upon a course of action in regard to Samoa.

LONDON, 24th January.

The American Secretary of State, has received intelligence to the effect that the American subjects in Samoa, who are reported to have been imprisoned by the Germans, have been released. He is now of opinion that the recent report as to the disturbed situation in Samoa are exaggerated. Mr. Bayard believes that there will be no infringement of international rights on the part of Germany.

UCKLAND, 24th January.

The object of the visit of the German warship *Eur* to Australia is to enable the commander to open up cable communications with Berlin and await despatches.

The Germans at Samoa have taken no further action since the recent fighting, pending instructions from the Government. The officers of the *Eur* deny the statement in the cable alleging that the German sailors burned the American flags and imprisoned American subjects.

LONDON, 24th January.

The United States Commission on Foreign Relations proposes that the British Representatives should vote half a million dollars to protect American interests in Samoa, and also 100,000 dollars to improve the harbour of Pago Pago.

It has transpired that the Committee consider it the duty of the United States to forcibly intervene for the protection of autonomy in Samoa.

24th January.

The Foreign Relations Committee has been informed by Mr. H. M. S. Sewell, the United States Consul at Apia, that to the best of his belief an agreement has been arrived at by which England will receive Tonga and Samoa, and the Hawaian Islands, on condition that Germany is allowed Samoa. He considers that Admiral Kimberley, of the American corvette *Broton*, must be invested with enlarged powers to effect any lasting results in the Samoan group in the interests of the United States.

On the 18th January, the United States Government are making efforts to strengthen their fleet by the purchase and fitting out of suitable large steamers.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LOAN.

The new South Australian three, and a half per cent. loan has been placed on the London market.

TRAMWAY STRIKE IN NEW YORK.

The New York cables announce that over 5,000 tramway employees have struck work.

THE COPPER SYNDICATE.

The French Copper Syndicate has suspended buying operations for the present, and in consequence copper has had a downward tendency. Child today quoted 278 per ton.

MURDERS AT BEECHHEAD.

A police constable has been murdered at Beechhead by a butcher. The murderer was immediately arrested.

THE SHIP TO VISIT ENGLAND.

The Shah of Persia has announced his intention to visit England shortly.

MR. GLADSTONE AND HIS AMERICAN ADMIRERS.

Gladstone has received a highly complimentary address, signed by General Harrison and many other leading Americans, expressing their great admiration of his untiring efforts to obtain Home Rule for Ireland.

SIR CHARLES WARREN.

Sir Charles Warren, late Commissioner of Police, London, has been appointed to the command of the military camp at Shorncliffe, in the south of England.

GREAT JEWEL ROBBERY.

A robbery of jewellery to the value of £30,000 has been reported from Brighton.

LORD SACKVILLE, late British Minister at Wash-

ington, will probably be appointed Ambassador to Turkey.

A FRENCH JOURNALIST EXPELLED FROM GERMANY.

A French journalist has been expelled from Berlin for sending severe strictures upon German authorities to French papers, for which he acted as correspondent.

MAX O'LELL.

Max O'Rell, author of "John Bull and his Island," is visiting Australia upon a lecturing tour.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

MONDAY, 18th February, 1889.

URUM.

Quotations are:—

New Malwa \$360 per picul, allos, of 50 catties.

Old Malwa \$360 per picul, allos, of 44 catties.

Older Malwa \$360 per picul, allos, of 44 catties.

Patna (New) \$360 to \$367 per cheat.

Burzwa (New) 542 to 645 " "

EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON.

Telegraphic Transfer 3/-

Bank Bills, on demand 3.04

Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 3.04

Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3.04

Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight 3.04

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ON NEW YORK.

Telegraphic Transfer 3/18

Sydney & Melbourne, &c. 2/18

Calcutta, Madras, &c. 2/18

Galgut, via Straits 2/18

Singapore, &c. 2/18

SWATOW, AMOY, TWINFOOT, &c. 2/18

CHINA.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

W. INN & KIMBALL,
DENTAL SURGEONS,
SHANGHAI, HONGKONG, & YOKOHAMA.

I RESUME PRACTICE from this date,
at 16, Bank Buildings.
R. H. KIMBALL
Hongkong, 15th February, 1889. [353]

NOTICE.

WE Have This Day authorized Mr. COLSTON REEVES to Sign our Firm.

MORE & SHIMUND.

Hongkong, 16th February 1889. [353]

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

M. R. G. E. NOBLE has been appointed CHIEF MANAGER of the BANK from the 1st January, 1889.

By Order of the Court of Directors.

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 31st December, 1888. [151]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned being about to Cross Their BUSINESS in Hongkong & China, all Persons having Claims against them are requested to send same in before the 24th inst., and all Persons indebted to the Firm are requested to settle their Accounts before the same date.

HAJEE HAMED HAJEE ESACK & Co.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1889. [356]

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "YANGTSE."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London Ex S. S. Guadalquivir and Guadiana, from Havre, Ex S. S. P. L. Leroy Laffier and Cambra in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasures, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, at Bowrington, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optimal Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before NOON, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

Claims will be unclaimed after SATURDAY, the 23rd inst., at NOON will be subject to rent and landing charges at One cent per package per day.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 25th inst. (MONDAY), or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1889. [2]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES of Company's Steamer

ANTENCE,

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged by draft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will be at Consignee's risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Crafter Godowns on and after the 13th inst.

Goods undelivered after the 20th instant, will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods must be left at the Godowns, where they will be examined at U. M. 19th inst.

BUITFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1889. [282]

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "CARDIGANSHIRE"

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-

formed that all goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optimal cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. TO-DAY.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th inst., will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 20th inst., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ADAMSON, BELL & CO.

Agents.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1889. [268]

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MAIL TABLES

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MAIL TABLES are now ready. Paper

10 Cents; Card, 20 Cents, Cash.

"DAILY PLEAS" OFFICE.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1889. [287]

FOR SALE.

THE Steamer "LOT DOT,"

now on Shore in the Harbour of Toulon.

This steamer was formerly a man-of-war of good construction.

Apply to M. ROUYAUD,

Agent for the Messageries Maritimes.

Toulon.

Hongkong, 2d February, 1889. [302]

THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED,

13, PHAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

The TELEPHONE EXCHANGE is now in

working order.

Subscription, 300 per Annum.

Electrical Material on sale, or hire.

Electric Bells fitted and maintained.

Agents for ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

A. SANDFORD,

Agent.

Hongkong, 1st December, 1888. [1429]

PUBLIC NOTICE OF EXPIRY OF OPIUM FARM.

THE exclusive Privileges of Belling and Preaching Opium so-called or prepared will cease on the 25th day of February, 1889. No Belling or Prepared Opium purchased from us or our Licences can be used after the 3rd day of March, 1889, at Noon, without the consent of the New Holder of such exclusive privilege as aforesaid.

Dated 28th January, 1889.

KHOI TEONG POH,

and CHEAT TEE SOON,

Opium Farmers.

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